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TAGS: CASC, AO, EAIR

SUBJECT: US REGISTERED AIRCRAFT FORCED DOWN IN ANNGOLA

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DEBRIEFING OF PILOT OF SUBJECT PLANE. WE WOULD, HOWEVER,
LIKE TO CORRECT FOR THE RECORD THE PILOT'S STATEMENT THAT
"USG APPARENTLY PAID MONEY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ANGOLA"
THROUGH THE ITALIAN AMBASSADOR. USG ROLE WAS IN FACT
LIMITED TO WORKING WITH ITALIANS TO PASS MESSAGES BETWEEN
OWNER OF AIRCRAFT AND ANGOLAN AUTHORITIES. WHILE THERE
IS STILL SOME QUESTION AS TO WHETHER ANY MONEY WAS PAID,

THE USG DID NOT REPEAT NOT PARTICIPATE IN ANY PAYMENT.
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